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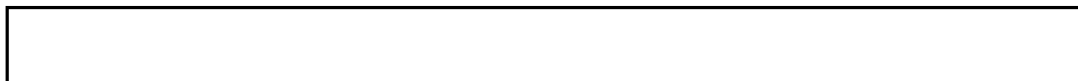
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STATEMENT OF APPROVAL OF IMPLEMENTATION

The Committee on Imagery Requirements and Exploitation (COMIREX) approved the attached format on 12 September 1968 as the National Standard Format for Basic Imagery Interpretation Reports and Briefs on Objects, Weapons, and Weapon Systems. Organizations tasked under the National Tasking Plan for related third-phase Basic Support Exploitation are requested to initiate use of this format upon receipt in October 1968.

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SCOPE

The hard copy formats discussed in this paper will be applicable to all organizations tasked under the National Tasking Plan for Basic Support Exploitation. The organizations must use these formats to the extent practicable when publishing Basic Imagery Interpretation Reports and Briefs. The organizations are encouraged to use these formats when publishing Direct Support Exploitation Reports and Briefs.

INTRODUCTION

Purpose

This document is published by COMIREX to provide standard formats for basic support exploitation for the imagery exploitation community. However, to the extent practicable, they are also designed to be machine-processable through the use of computer-based information files.

Authority

These standards and specifications have been established by the COMIREX pursuant to the provisions of DCID No 1/13 and the National Tasking Plan.

FORMAT REAPPRAISAL AND REVISION

The effectiveness of the National Standard Format for Basic Imagery Interpretation Reports and Briefs will be monitored by COMIREX. Organizations desiring to recommend changes or modifications will do so through their appropriate COMIREX member.

DEFINITIONS

The Basic Imagery Interpretation Report (BIIR) is a multisheet legal or letter size* third-phase imagery exploitation report prepared in response to a COMIREX-approved Basic Exploitation Requirement. It presents the results of a thorough analysis of all applicable imagery. The length and complexity of individual reports will be dependent upon the stated requirement.

The Basic Imagery Interpretation Brief (BIIB) is, generally, a single-sheet legal or letter size third-phase imagery exploitation report prepared in response to an approved Basic Exploitation Requirement. It presents the results of a thorough analysis of all imagery pertinent to the requirement.

*Legal size 8½ x 14 (FTD 8½ x 11)
Letter size 8 x 10½

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